## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Goran MARTENSSON Prior Group Art Unit: 3635

Serial No.: To be assigned - U.S. Divisional Application

of U.S. Application No. 09/806,994

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For: FLOORING MATERIAL COMPRISING FLOORING ELEMENTS WHICH ARE

ASSEMBLED BY MEANS OF SEPARATE JOINING ELEMENTS

## **CONFIRMATION CLAIM FOR PRIORITY**

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

The benefit of the filing date of the following foreign application filed in the following foreign country and priority provided in the 35 USC §119 have been claimed for the above-identified application:

Swedish Patent Application No. 9803379-8, filed October 6, 1998.

A copy of the priority document was filed in the International Stage (PCT).

It is requested that the file of this application be marked to indicate that the requirements of 35 USC §119 have been fulfilled and that the Patent and Trademark Office kindly acknowledge receipt of these papers.

Respectfully submitted,

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